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Attn: Art Unit 3694

Patent Examiner Jamie Swartz

Re:

**Application No.:** 

09/913,701

**Confirmation No.:** 

3857

**Applicants:** 

Drummond, et al.

Title:

Method and System for Connecting Services

to an Automated Transaction Machine

Docket No.:

D-1120 US

Sir:

Please find enclosed Applicants' Response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2006 for filing in the above-identified Application.

No fee is deemed required. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fee associated with this Response and any other fee due to Deposit Account 09-0428.

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Sir:

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the species election requirement dated December 28, 2006 is respectfully requested. As discussed herein in more detail, Applicants provisionally elect with traverse the alleged Species VIII.

Kindly amend the above identified Application without prejudice as follows: